

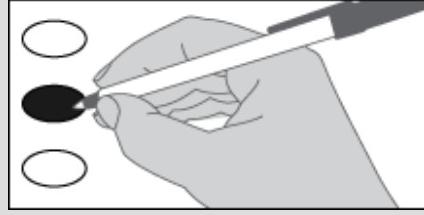


Official Ballot
General Election
Benton County, Washington
November 5, 2019

Sample

Instructions

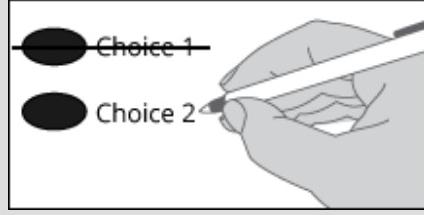
How to vote



Use a dark blue or black ink pen to completely fill in the oval next to your choice.

Vote for one in each measure or race. If you vote for more than one, no votes will be counted for that measure or race.

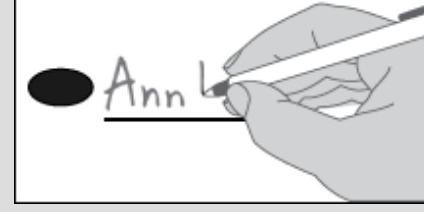
How to correct a mistake



To make a correction, draw a line through the entire choice.

You then have the option of making a different choice by completely filling in another oval.

Optional Write-in



To vote for a candidate not listed for that race, fill in the oval under the last candidate listed and print the name next to the oval.

Change of address? If you have changed your address visit votewa.gov

How to return your ballot

Insert ballot into security sleeve.

Insert security sleeve into the ballot return envelope.

Sign and date the voter declaration using the instructions on the return envelope.
NOTE: WAC 434-230-015 prohibits the use of a Power of Attorney to satisfy the signature requirements on the return envelope. If unable to sign, voter should follow the instructions on the return envelope for having two witnesses.

Return your ballot using any of the methods listed on your return envelope.



Who donates to campaigns?

View contributors for candidates and measures

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Referendum Measure

Referendum Measure No. 88

The legislature passed Initiative Measure No. 1000 concerning affirmative action and remedying discrimination, and voters have filed a sufficient referendum petition on this act. Initiative 1000 would allow the state to remedy discrimination for certain groups and to implement affirmative action, without the use of quotas or preferential treatment (as defined), in public education, employment, and contracting. Should Initiative 1000 be:

Approved

Rejected

Initiative to the Legislature

Initiative Measure No. 976

Initiative Measure No. 976 concerns motor vehicle taxes and fees. This measure would repeal, reduce, or remove authority to impose certain vehicle taxes and fees; limit annual motor-vehicle-license fees to \$30, except voter-approved charges; and base vehicle taxes on Kelley Blue Book value. Should this measure be enacted into law?

Yes

No

Advisory Votes

Advisory Vote No. 20

Second Substitute House Bill 1087

The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, an additional wage premium for long-term care services, costing an indeterminate amount in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:

Repealed

Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 21

Engrossed Third Substitute House Bill 1324

The legislature extended, without a vote of the people, the business and occupation tax for extracting, manufacturing, and selling timber and timber-related products, costing \$21,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:

Repealed

Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 22

Substitute House Bill 1652

The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, retail sales tax on architectural paint by adding an assessment to the purchase price, costing \$6,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:

Repealed

Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 23

Engrossed Second Substitute House Bill 1873

The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, a tax on the sale, use, consumption, handling, possession, and distribution of vapor products costing \$178,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:

Repealed

Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 24

Engrossed Second Substitute House Bill 2158

The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, an additional service and other business and occupation tax for certain specified business activities, costing \$2,253,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:

Repealed

Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 25

Substitute Senate Bill 2167

The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, an additional business and occupation tax for certain specified financial institutions, costing \$1,036,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:

Repealed

Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 26

Substitute Senate Bill 5581

The legislature expanded, without a vote of the people, application of the state tax code to certain remote sellers, marketplace facilitators, and others, costing \$1,051,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:

Repealed

Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 27

Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5993

The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, taxes on petroleum products, costing \$2,760,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:

Repealed

Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 28

Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5997

The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, sales and use taxes on certain nonresidents by limiting the exemption applicable to them, costing \$313,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:

Repealed

Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 29

Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 5998

The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, the real estate excise tax on certain sales of real property, costing \$1,747,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:

Repealed

Maintained

Advisory Vote No. 30

Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill 6004

The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, the business and occupation tax on certain travel agents and tour operators, costing \$28,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending. This tax increase should be:

Repealed

Maintained

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Advisory Vote No. 31
Engrossed Senate Bill 6016
The legislature increased, without a vote of the people, the business and occupation tax on certain international investment management services, costing \$367,000,000 in its first ten years, for government spending.
This tax increase should be:

- Repealed
 Maintained

Proposed Constitutional Amendment

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8200
The legislature has proposed a constitutional amendment concerning legislative powers in times of emergency. This measure would add "catastrophic incidents" to the specified times of emergency that the legislature may take certain immediate actions to ensure continuity of state and local governmental operations.
Should this constitutional amendment be:

- Approved
 Rejected

Port District Non-Partisan Office

Port Of Benton Commissioner Dist. 1

- Roy Keck
 Bill O'Neil

Port Of Kennewick Commissioner Dist. 2

- Thomas Moak
 VJ Meadows

Hospital District Non-Partisan Office

Kennewick Public Hospital Dist. Commissioner Pos. 4

2-year unexpired term

- Steve Blodgett

Kennewick Public Hospital Dist. Commissioner Pos. 5

- Wanda Briggs

Kennewick Public Hospital Dist. Commissioner Pos. 6

- Rick Reil

Prosser Public Hospital Dist. Commissioner Pos. 4

- Brandon Bowden

Prosser Public Hospital Dist. Commissioner Pos. 5

- Glenn M. Bestebreur

Prosser Public Hospital Dist. Commissioner Pos. 6

- Stephen Kenny

City Offices Non-Partisan Office

City Of Benton City Mayor

- Linda Lehman
 David Sandretto

City Of Benton City Council Pos. 3

- Ashley Morrison
 John A. Derderian

City Of Benton City Council Pos. 4

- Keila Gordon
 Connie Meredith

City Of Benton City Council Pos. 5

- Michelle McLeod
 Jake Mokler

City Of Kennewick Council Pos. 5 At Large

- Chuck Torelli
 Chariss Warner

City Of Kennewick Council Pos. 6 At Large

- Brad Beauchamp
 Ed Pacheco

City Of Kennewick Council Pos. 7 At Large

- James (Jim) Millbauer
 Russel Del Gesso

City Of Prosser Mayor

- Randy Taylor

City Of Prosser Council Pos. 4

- Robert Elder
 Robert McGraw

City Of Prosser Council Pos. 5

- Mary Ruth Edwards

City Of Prosser Council Pos. 6

- Steven W. Becken

City Of Prosser Council Pos. 7

- Stephanie Groom

City Of Richland Council Pos. 1

- Bob Thompson
 Lillian (Randy) Slovic

City Of Richland Council Pos. 2

- Brad Anderson
 Shir Regev

City Of Richland Council Pos. 5

- Phillip R. Lemley
 Lisa Thomas

City Of Richland Council Pos. 6

- Terry Christensen
 Kyle Palmer

City Of West Richland Council Pos. 5

- David M. Fetto

City Of West Richland Council Pos. 6

- Fred Brink

City Of West Richland Council Pos. 7

- Ken Stoker
 Kate Moran

School District Non-Partisan Office

Kennewick School Dist. 17 Director No. 3

- Ron Mabry
 Wende Carlisle

Kennewick School Dist. 17 Director No. 4

- Michael Connors
 James Langford

Kennewick School Dist. 17 Director No. 5

- Diane Sundvik
 Patrick (Pat) Mastaler

Paterson School Dist. 50 Director No. 3

- Ryan Munn

Paterson School Dist. 50 Director No. 4

- Sarah Maddox

Paterson School Dist. 50 Director No. 5

- Taryn Hartley

Kiona-Benton City School Dist. 52 Director Dist. 1

- Julie Rheinschmidt

School District Non-Partisan Office	Fire Protection District Non-Partisan Office
Kiona-Benton City School Dist. 52 Director Dist. 4	Fire Dist. No. 1 Commissioner Pos. 3
<input type="checkbox"/> Dale Thornton	<input type="checkbox"/> David Jenkins
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Scott Carpenter
Finley School Dist. 53 Director Dist. 1	Fire Dist. No. 1 PROPOSITION 2
<input type="checkbox"/> Dawn Senger	UNLIMITED TAX GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS - \$3,000,000 The Board of Fire Commissioners of the District passed Resolution No. 2019-08 approving a plan to finance certain capital improvements and to acquire a replacement apparatus. Unlimited tax general obligation bonds would be issued in a maximum principal amount of not to exceed \$3,000,000, maturing within 20 years from date of issue, and repaid from an annual excess levy on real property, all as provided in the Resolution. Should this proposition be:
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Approved
Finley School Dist. 53 Director Dist. 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Rejected
Finley School Dist. 53 Director Dist. 4	Fire Dist. No. 2 Commissioner Pos. 2
<input type="checkbox"/> Tim Goforth	<input type="checkbox"/> Steve Rouse
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prosser Consolidated School Dist. 116 Director Dist. 1	Fire Dist. No. 4 Commissioner Pos. 2
<input type="checkbox"/> Margaret (Peggy) Douglas	<input type="checkbox"/> Ralph Russell
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Garrett Goodwin
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prosser Consolidated School Dist. 116 Director Dist. 2	Fire Dist. No. 5 Revised Commissioner Pos. 2
<input type="checkbox"/> Andy Howe	<input type="checkbox"/> Wayne Mercer
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prosser Consolidated School Dist. 116 Director Dist. 5	Fire Dist. No. 6 Commissioner Pos. 2
<input type="checkbox"/> Scott Hunt	<input type="checkbox"/> Robert Crow
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Grandview School Dist. 200 Director, Dist. 1	West Benton Regional Fire Authority Commissioner Pos. 1 At Large
<input type="checkbox"/> Antonio E. Sanchez	<input type="checkbox"/> Max E. Benitz Jr.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Grandview School Dist. 200 Director, Dist. 3	West Benton Regional Fire Authority Commissioner Pos. 2
<input type="checkbox"/> Elizabeth Alba	<input type="checkbox"/> Shane Williams
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Grandview School Dist. 200 Director, Dist. 4	Water District Non-Partisan Office
<input type="checkbox"/> Jessica Trevino	County Well Water Dist. Commissioner Pos. 2
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Randy Mercer
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Richland School Dist. 400 Director No. 3	Plymouth Water Dist. Commissioner Pos. 2
<input type="checkbox"/> Rick Donahoe	<input type="checkbox"/> Austin Wyatt
<input type="checkbox"/> Matthew J. Bishop	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Richland School Dist. 400 Director No. 4	Tri-City Estates Water Dist. Commissioner Pos. 2
<input type="checkbox"/> Kari Williams	<input type="checkbox"/> Rick Jansons
<input type="checkbox"/> Jay Clough	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Richland School Dist. 400 Director No. 5	
<input type="checkbox"/> Jill M. Oldson	
<input type="checkbox"/> Rama Devagupta	
<input type="checkbox"/>	

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